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In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicant : Gan et al.

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For : CONVERTING CIRCUIT FOR PREVENTING WRONG
ERROR CORRECTION CODES FROM OCCURRING
DUE TO AN ERROR CORRECTION RULE DURING
DATA READING OPERATION

Art Unit : 2133

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Thank you for your assistance in the subject matter. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully Submitted,
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

The Office Action mailed on February 20, 2007 has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please amend the claims and specification below and consider the following remarks.

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AMENDMENT

To the Title:

Please substitute the following title for the pending title.

Converting ~~circuit for preventing~~ circuit for preventing wrong error correction error
correction codes from occurring due to an error correction rule ~~during data~~ during data
reading operation